

sinclair
broadcasting's
despicable attempt
to influence the
election by forcing
their affiliates to
pre-empt regular
programming to show
a blatantly partisan
and factually
questionable
anti-Kerry
documentary is a
glaring example of
the dangers of media
consolidation.

Moreover, this is
part of a pattern of
suppression of local
coverage and
autonomy in the news
media, substituting
centrally produced
worthless pabulum (or
in this case, toxic
waste) for locally
focused news.

If the FCC was
interested in
serving the
interests of
citizens and
communities as
opposed to the
financial interests
of large companies,
it would move to
prevent this sort of
monopolistic control
of the airwaves.

Please help.